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The Oyen News

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Obituary

Mrs. J. D. Wenger Passes

The death of Bertha Gertrude, beloved wife of Jonas Donald Wenger, occurred at her home in Oyen, at an early hour on Tuesday morning, January 15, 1929, following a lingering illness of about five months.

A funeral service will be conducted at the United Church, Oyen, to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, and interment will follow at Oyen cemetery. Rev. H. C. Woods will officiate.

The late Mrs. Wenger, was born in Moline, Mich., on January 17, 1878. She was married on December 11, 1902, and came to this district in 1911. Besides her husband, she is survived by two children, Helen, who was born at their home in the States, and who came to Canada with his mother in 1911, and Alberta, who was born here; and four brothers and a sister living in the state of Michigan.

School Ratepayers Meeting

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of Oyen School District No. 3658, was held at the school on Monday afternoon, chairman Charles Wright, presiding.

Excellent reports were read and the district is shown to be in a satisfactory financial condition, although there is still a large amount of arrears of taxes outstanding. The attendance at the meeting was small, only nine ratepayers being present.

Two vacancies on the board of trustees were filled by the election of Dr. J. P. Kerr and Mr. J. P. Rorabeck, for three and one years respectively. Mr. J. J. Skinner, who was elected last spring, to complete the unexpired portion of Mr. D. E. May's term, was also nominated. The new heating plant, installed in the school late in August, and paid for out of general revenue, is proving satisfactory.

Hockey

A keenly contested game between Sibbald and Oyen was witnessed on the local ice last Wednesday afternoon, when the home team won by a score of 1-0. The only goal of the game was scored by Stull in the dying moments of the closing period, on a very clever play. The game was fast throughout and those who saw it were treated to a fine exhibition.

The next game on the Oyen ice will be played on Friday afternoon (this week), when the local boys meet Cereal. The game is called for 3 p.m. sharp. Turn out and give the boys your support.

The Sibbald junior team were Oyen visitors here last Saturday when they defeated the local juniors by a score of 2-1. The game was keenly and evenly contested and had to go an extra ten minutes to break a 1-1 tie.

The Oyen hockey team were Cereal visitors yesterday when they had to be content with the cipher end of a 3-0 score.

Look at your address label!

M. D. of Cereal

The council of the Municipal District of Cereal No. 212, met in the municipal office at Oyen, Alta., on Saturday, January 12, at 7:30 o'clock a.m.

The councillors present were Dave Gibson, Deputy Reeve; Werry and councillors Nichol, Olson and Gripp.

The minutes of the council meeting of December 8, and the financial statements were read and approved.

The correspondence was read and dealt with.

The council agreed to rent the S.E. 26-4-1, to Fred Carlson for hay for the year 1929 for the sum of \$40.00 cash.

The council agreed to accept the offer of W. H. McLeod of \$50.00 for the temporary road through S.E. 25-28-5-4, for the years 1924 to 1929.

The secretary was instructed to reply to the Royal Alexandra Hospital at Edmonton, that the council would not pay the amount of Mrs. Hans Peterson on the grounds that Mrs. Peterson was not an indigent.

Mr. William Quinn was appointed Deputy Returning officer, in place of Mr. E. Ketchum for Division No. 2, and Mr. H. E. Davies was appointed Deputy Returning officer for Division No. 5, in the forthcoming election of councillors.

The secretary was instructed to notify Providence Hospital at Dayland to purchase J. Scullin two suits of underwear, and charge same to the Municipal District of Cereal.

The council accepted the offer of G. E. Lott of \$2.00 per spool for about 14 spools of wire on the S.E. 32-26-4, same to be cash.

The following accounts were presented: Chapman Slessors Ltd., premium on Secretary's Bond, 20.00; Workmans Compensation, \$4.00; B. and L., 4.77; Thomas Lees, premium on fire insurance, 25.00; Alberta Government Telephone, rental, 4.25; Attorney General's Department, refund of mothers allowance 67.50; J. P. Rorabeck, stamps, excise exchange, P.O. note etc 21.30; Providence General Hospital, relief re J. Scullin, 31.25; J. P. Rorabeck, salary for December, 150.00.

The council accepted the report of councillor Nichol delegate to the Municipal convention at Calgary.

The school payments made by the Reeve and Secretary for the month of December were approved.

The council adjourned to meet again on February 9, at 10 o'clock a.m.

J. P. Rorabeck, Sec. Treas.

Edmonton Busy Convention Centre

Edmonton, during the present week, will be the scene of a number of gatherings of importance to residents of rural sections of the province. It is expected that over 500 delegates will assemble annually visitors will attend the annual U.F.A. Convention to be held in the First Presbyterian Church. Many of the delegates and others interested in the production of good seed grain will also attend the Provincial Seed Fair and the annual meetings of the Alberta Seed Growers' Association which will be held during the same week in the Chisholm Block and the Hudson's Bay Building respectively.

January Special In Made-to-measure Suits

House of Hobberlin offer extra Trousers with every order for a suit of clothes.

Fashion Craft offer a reduction of 20 per cent off regular prices.

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These discounts good only for orders taken in January. See the samples to-day.

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The Shows

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January 18-19

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January 21-22

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About Ourselves

Scanning the pages of a little farm machinery magazine the other day, the attention of the writer of this column was drawn to a short article headed "About Ourselves," and like everybody else, being interested in himself, he read it. It appeared to him as so humble, so absolutely true, so worth-while, that he decided to pass it on to the readers of this paper and thus give still wider circulation to a message which all would do well to heed.

"We all want the things that we think will make us happy. We want to own things, to know about things, to go places, to do things, to work our heads, to win esteem and respect and affection of folks."

The bigger our wants, the more chances we have of being wrong. The person who cares for nothing amounts to nothing. We begin wanting the day we are born. When we quit wanting, we'll be dead. If we don't want anything, we are helpless.

If we don't think about our wants, we let little desires crowd out the really big, worth while desires. "I didn't think," is the excuse most often given for acting foolishly, recklessly, dangerously, selfishly. Unnecessary accidents and needless griefs follow. Thinking clears the way for restful action. If we don't think, we are reckless and selfish.

In order to make our feelings and thoughts count, we must do something. The more times we get good thoughts backed by strong feelings and do nothing, the worse off we are. Doing things tests our thinking and our feelings—enables us to do clearer thinking and work out happier things the next time. If we won't work, we are helpless.

A slight change in our wants, we let little desires change in life; the light of a new idea may point the way to the successful working of a problem; even when things seem wrong and we can't see clearly, starting to do something may clear the way.

"What we feel, what we think, and what we do make us what we are." That's the message. Read it over again. Then, once again, read the last line: "What we feel, what we think, and what we do, we are."

Now read the first sentence again: "We all want the things that we think will make us happy."

This article is about ourselves. It is a sort of heart to heart talk, a kind of personal stock-taking at the beginning of a new year, so let us ask ourselves some pointed questions.

Granted we want to be happy, were we ever happy while thinking mean, uncharitable thoughts about somebody else? Rather, have our happier moods been those when kindly thoughts of others occupied our minds?

"We will find happiness in the esteem, respect and affection of others. There are few of us but desire to be popular. But can we command these things, or do we deserve them. If, on our part, we are entertaining feelings of contempt and hatred for those around us?"

We find joy in doing things, but can we expect to accomplish much if we are arrogant in our attitude towards others, if we insist on always having our own way, if we are intolerant of the views and opinions and convictions of those with whom we are called upon to work?

A person who is always suspicious of others soon becomes the object of general suspicion. Thinking mean thoughts, cultivating uncharitable feelings, doing unworthy things, may or may not hurt those against whom they are directed, but they most assuredly do hurt the one who indulges in them. They affect his or her whole character. Persisted in they will even leave their indelible mark upon the countenance with the result that the uglier inner life will be like an open book that all others may read—and shun.

The happiness so much desired is not to be found that way; rather it is the result of all this feeling.

Remember: "What we feel, what we think, and what we do, we are."

Gave Service Gratuitously

Progress in Aviation

Colorado Doctor Labored For 25 Years Making No Charge For Medical Attention

Over 300 Airplanes Now Operating In Canada

Dr. B. A. Arbogast, the "hermit physician," of the rough, mountainous country west of Craig, Colorado, died of poverty recently, after a career devoted solely to gratuitous service of his fellow men.

For 25 years Dr. Arbogast has been the physician in a rugged cattle country, which embraced 100 square miles surrounding the little cabin where he lived alone. He ministered to the life and hurts of cowboys, homesteaders, cattlemen—and made no charge for his services.

Forty new school districts were established in Alberta in the first nine months of 1928, with a grand total of about 3,500 in the province.

DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS FOR PALE PEOPLE

Excess acid is the common cause of indigestion. It results in pain and sourness about two hours after eating. The quick corrective is an alkali which neutralizes the excess acid. Corrective is Phillips' Milk of Magnesia. It has retained standard with physicians in the 40 years since its invention. One spoonful of Phillips' Milk of Magnesia instantly may

Help British Unemployed

Canadian Fund Opened By A Toronto Newspaper For Relief Of Miners
An indication of the interest which has been aroused in Canada of the plight of the British unemployed, particularly the miners and their families, is given by the response to a fund for their relief, opened by a Toronto newspaper. The fund, the first of its kind opened in Toronto, has received the endorsement of Hon. D. D. Ross, lieutenant-governor of the province, and leaders of every section of the industrial, political and religious life of the city.

INFLUENZA'S VICTIMS

Left Weak, Miserable and Praying To Disease In Many Forms
One of the most treacherous diseases afflicting the people is influenza during the winter months. It is influenza. It almost invariably ends with a complication of pneumonia. Its victims suffer with a severe fever and chills, aching muscles, headache, and it leaves them with a great deal of trouble. It is a deadly effect of influenza may leave the victim a chronic invalid. You can avoid influenza by keeping the blood rich and red by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. If you have not done this and the disease attacks you, get your blood its deadly effect through the use of this great blood-building medicine.

Here is proof of the power of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Mr. P. H. McMillan, Belleville, Ont., writes: "I was attacked by influenza, leaving a severe attack of influenza. I was left in such a weak condition, that my friends thought I would not get better. I developed nervous indigestion, and was unable to eat. I was very watery. In this watery condition I began to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and these did what I thought had failed to do—brought me back to health and strength. I can honestly say I think them the best medicine I have ever known, and I shall always praise them."

"You can get the pills from your druggist, or by mail at 50 cents a box from Dr. J. C. McMillan, Co., Brockville, Ont."

Unique Method Of Testing Farm Seeds
Virginia Department of Agriculture Controls Temperature Of Artificial Spring

A method of stimulating spring artificially in a modern version of the old family ice box was described at New York before the Association of Official Seed Analysts.

It is used for testing the germination of farm seeds at the Virginia Department of Agriculture, and irrigation, Richmond. By a specially prepared chamber and an artificial refrigerator, controlled temperatures are obtained over test seeds planted in the soil.

Even the forces of spring, so far as they are useful to the fields of farmers, are preserved through the action of cold water running through the apparatus and providing the air purification that takes place in open fields.

Spring's sunshine is reproduced in effect through an electric heater, its emanations being distributed from beneath a covering of water.

Your Home Medicine Chest.
Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for rheumatism, neuralgia, sprains, bruises, cuts, burns, scalds, cuts, bruises and sprains.

Worth Five Cents Out.
Dr. P. O. Banting is now experimenting with "royal jelly," the food which the bees feed to develop the queen bee. Some specialists think that active study, which is said to prolong the life of the queen bee for several years, may have some merit as a food for human beings. It is worth trying to find out just what it is composed of.

Greatest Swiss Avalanche.
The greatest of Swiss avalanches occurred a century ago when five million tons of ice fell from the Alps, glacial at a speed of 100 miles an hour from a height of five thousand feet. Ice fragments were flung fifteen hundred feet up the opposite mountain side.

Lawyer (noted for high fees)— I tell you, you're troubled by my advice. Client—"Yes, but not so much as you do."

For frostbite use Minard's Liniment.
Teacher—"Now, James, name America's greatest general." James (the son of a broker)—"General Motors."

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THE EASY WAY

Thousands need cod-liver oil to increase vitality and build up resistance.

Scott's Emulsion

Is the easy and pleasant way to exact the most out of cod-liver oil to reinforce your body with strength to build resistance.

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Baron Munchausen

Never Told These

Inquiring Guests Add To Wonders Of Jasper Park
"The Equator," said the youngster, who examines his surroundings, "is a menagerie lion running around the city. Schoolboy howlers are always rich in humor. But the howlers are not always made by school-

Last summer a lady came up to the transportation desk in Jasper Park Lodge to inquire about the morning trip to Mount Edith Cavell and the Angel Glacier. She was very anxious to miss nothing of the wonders of the country. "What," she asked, "does the Glacier appear?"

"Then there was the lady who thought the bridge would be very pretty when it was finished, when the walls were plastered and skinned. That the great peeled logs, well chinked and snugly fitted together, were meant to be as they were, never entered her consciousness. She knew nothing of the life of the mountain architecture."

The prize, however, goes to the lady who was discussing the wild life of the park with one of the warden. "The goats and the sheep are the same species, are they not?" she asked innocently. "Which are the goats?"

"Oh, the goats, madam," said the warden, without batting an eyelash.

The Family Physician.—The good doctor is always worth his fee. But it is not always possible to get a doctor just when you want him. In such cases, common sense suggests the use of reliable home remedies, such as Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, which is wonderfully effective in easing inflammatory pains and healing scratches, bruises and sprains.

The presence of this remedy in the family medicine chest saves many a fee.

Scripts Plan Subway.
Samuel R. Rosoff, subway contractor, has confirmed reports that Russian Soviet Government is planning construction of a subway and waterworks to cost about \$105,000,000 for the city of Moscow, and that it will be built and financed by Americans.

No child should be allowed to suffer an hour from worms when prompt relief can be got in a simple but powerful remedy—Gruver Worm Exterminator.

Graceville, Fla., annually ships more watermelons than any other point in the world.

WINDOLITE stands for 100 per cent. sunlight. It makes light and strong windows for cattle sheds, dairy stables, poultry houses, brooders and all out buildings. It is a strong, reliable, flexible material, easy to cut and install. It is now being successfully used for sunrooms, verandas, schools, factories, hospitals, sanctuaries, hotels, clubs, plant coverings and greenhouses. It keeps out cold, rain, snow and ice, with an ordinary window pane. It is made in rolls any length but in one width of 36 inches only. A square yard of WINDOLITE weighs about 14 oz., while a square yard of glass of ordinary thickness, weighs about 130 lb. WINDOLITE is made in England.

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Wool Returns Much Higher

Last Year's Final Payment To B.C. Sheepmen Totaled \$536,000

Between 500 and 600 sheepmen throughout British Columbia received a north-winter Christmas present a week before the festive season when the final payment was made on the 1928 wool clip by the British Wool Growers' Ltd., at Vancouver.

A total final payment represented of this total of \$536,000. The total amount paid out for the year's clip was \$1,057,000, payment being made at 31.88 cents per pound, as compared with 24.9 cents last year, an increase of 28 per cent.

The wool growers' association, both wool shippers by the provincial association to the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers' Ltd., at Weston, Ont., were 243,749 lbs. in 1927, when the total amount paid out was only \$51,179.

Sore Corns Drop Off
If You Use "Putnam's"

When you notice any sign of callous on the feet or toes—that's the time to get a box of PUTNAM'S CORN EXTRACTOR. Do this, and you prevent corns. No matter how sore the corn is, hard or soft, let it be on top or between the toes. The corn will remove itself. Do not insist on PUTNAM'S CORN EXTRACTOR. It does the work for you, rubs out the corn, quickly and without pain.

Scarcity Of Seed Oats
Alberta Farmers Are Advised To Arrange For Necessary Supply Early In Season

Parasite throughout the province of Alberta are being advised by the provincial department of agriculture to make the necessary provision for securing the supply of oats for seed which will require the year 1929 crop. The effects of frost in a number of districts are reflected in a reduction in the germinating quality of a great many of the oats threshed and in a number of cases, supplies of oats suitable for seed will have to be shipped in. Elevator companies have expressed their willingness to assist in the distribution of good seed, and farmers are advised to communicate with their local elevator agents as early as possible in order to obviate the possibility of a scarcity occurring during the seedling season.

Miller's Worm Powders attack worms in the stomach and intestines at once, and no worm can come in contact with them and live. They also correct the unhealthy conditions in the digestive organs that invite and encourage worms, setting up reactions that are most beneficial to the growth of the child. They have attacked their power in hundreds of cases, and at all times are thoroughly trustworthy.

It is said sharks do not attack humans. Then as far as we are concerned, there will be no fight.

Some men take good care of an automobile; others treat it like one of the family.

Don't Submit To Asthma. If you suffer without hope of breaking the chains which bind you do not put off another day the purchase of Dr. J. C. Williams' Asthma Remedy. It will drive away all doubt as to its effectiveness. Be sure your supplier will convince you more than anything that can be written. When he tells you so, be sure you believe. This matchless remedy is sold by dealers everywhere.

More Berries Needed
The total production of sugar beets in Alberta for 1928, was 27,000 tons, while the capacity for the by-product factory was 30,000 tons. The sugar company guaranteed to expand as fast as the production of beets warrants. At a meeting of growers at Barrhead, the main problem considered was the means of raising the acreage now signed up of some 5,000 acres.

Corns cannot exist when Holloway's Corn Remover is applied. Corn, because it goes to the root and kills the growth.

Science can explain almost everything except why the static is always much stronger when the radio is being shown off to visitors.

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THE sun is the all-powerful life producer. Nature's universal disinfectant and germ destroyer, as well as stimulant and tonic.

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Medical research has definitely proved that from the point of view of Health and Hygiene, the most effective among the sun's rays are the Ultra-Violet rays, which possess the greatest power for the prevention and cure of disease and debility.

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ARRANGING FOR 6,000 BRITISHERS FOR FARM WORK

Ottawa.—Arrangements have been completed by the Department of Immigration to place in farm employment in Canada 6,000 British-trained immigrants which is the maximum number that will be available before the end of July. The department will assist in placing as many as possible of any others who want farm work and come to Canada on the new \$50 rate.

This was announced by W. J. Egan, deputy minister of Immigration, in making public a letter to the railway companies.

The deputy minister explained to the railway companies that it had been the experience of the department in placing the immigrants that not more than 30 per cent of the alleged farm laborers brought in from preferred countries actually stayed on the land.

Unquestionably there was a very strong feeling against the unduly large proportion of foreign as compared with British immigrants shown in the immigration statistics for the last few years, the letter set forth, and the movement under the railway agreement was largely responsible for this condition.

These restrictions, however, do not apply in any way to the movement of central European agricultural families coming to Canada for farm settlement nor to the movement of house workers who are coming under proper arrangements for their protection.

The province of Alberta had made representations to the department that while they are anxious to secure a supply of British farm labor and also a supply from preferred countries, they already have in the province all the non-preferred country immigrants that they can use on the farm work this year. In view of this situation the department will endeavor to carry out Alberta's wishes and the province is being so advised.

Death Of Senator Ross

Conservative Party Leader In Senate Passes Away

Guelph, Ont.—Senator William Desjardins Ross, Conservative party leader in the Senate for the past two years, died in Homewood sanatorium, where he had been a patient for two months. He was 74 years old.

Senator Ross succeeded to the leadership of the Conservative party in the Upper House in June, 1922. He had been a member of the Senate since 1912.

In 1921 Senator Ross went to Regina and practiced law there. Among his clients was Gabriel Dumont, the rebel, an associate of Louis Riel.

Later he came back to Halifax and went into practice with the late Sir Edgewood, afterwards a deputy minister of justice and later a judge of the supreme court of Canada. Later he became connected with several other law firms.

Ship Hired To Byrd

Dogs Required For Pole Expedition Have Left Vancouver

Vancouver.—When the R. M. S. Niagara sailed from Vancouver, January 9, for New Zealand and Australia, the dogs carried to young husky dogs for Commander Byrd's Antarctic expedition. The dogs have been housed at the Grange Mountain kennels here.

The dogs must reach Dunedin, N.Z., by February 7, in time to be forwarded by the steamer Enderby to the Antarctic base on the edge of the great ice barrier. E. J. Parr, agent for the White Star and Yukon Railway, has completed all arrangements for the shipment in response to a recent request by Commander Byrd, it is stated.

Succeeds To Earldom

Alberta Farmer Is Now The 10th Earl Of Eglinton

London.—Charles John Percival Earl of Eglinton, died recently. Frederick Joseph Trevelyan Trevelyan, a distant relative who resided at Priddy, Alberta, succeeds to the title.

The ninth Earl of Eglinton was a widower without children or near relatives. His successor is the great-grandson of the Second Earl of Eglinton. The earldom was created in 1720.

W. N. U. 1708

Harvest Help Index

Hon. Peter Heenan Explains Why Harvesters Were Brought From Britain

Ottawa, Ont.—A total of 75,000 harvesters were needed in western Canada harvest fields last year and as no assurance was forthcoming from the eastern provinces that they would supply 40,000 to add to the west's available 35,000, the federal government was obliged to appeal to Great Britain for men and as a result the minor-harvester scheme was brought about. This was the explanation of the influx of British harvesters last year to help gather western Canada's wheat crop, given by Hon. Peter Heenan to the labor delegation which presented its legislation program to the federal cabinet.

The federal government had to protect itself, Mr. Heenan explained, and as the eastern provinces did not assure the government of 40,000 harvesters, it was decided to bring in ten thousand Britishers to help in the harvest fields.

The estimated requirement of 75,000 was made by a committee which investigated the harvesting conditions.

German Report Shows

Gold Reserve Increase

Reichsbank Vaults Contain Twice As Much As Before War

Berlin.—Five years after the establishment of the Reichsbank, the vaults of the Reichsbank contain more than twice as much gold as before the war.

At the beginning of December the Reichsbank reserves showed a total of 2,650,000 marks worth of gold, while on December 31, 1923, the Reichsbank had only the equivalent of 1,370,000 marks in gold.

Since 1924 the gold of the Reichsbank shows a constant increase, being a record year with acquisitions of gold amounting to 787,000 marks until the end of the first week of December.

During the years 1924, 1925, 1926 and 1927, the Reichsbank has bought gold amounting to 293,000,000, 415,000,000, 377,000,000 and 34,000,000 marks respectively.

Japanese Stage Revolt

Assistance Of Infantry Required By Police To Control Protests

Leaders In Also Proposed Regular Infantry Were Rushed To Yamaguchi, a village near Fuku, when Japanese embarking rural unrest flared up momentarily.

Two thousand peasants marched in a body on the local government offices and police were unable to control them. Fighting ensued with casualties on both sides and the troops were called.

The peasants were protesting against a government riparian project which they claim would flood hundreds of acres of paddy rice fields.

It was officially reported that the peasants were gathered in the neighborhood districts and armed with bamboo spears.

To Broadcast British

Campaign Speeches

Broadcasting Department Plans Party Leaders To Also Proposed

London, Eng.—Radio will play a big part in the political speech making of the coming general election campaign. Addresses by Hon. Neville Chamberlain, at Liverpool, on January 15, and Premier Stanley Baldwin, at Newcastle, on January 24, will be relayed throughout the country. A proposal to broadcast a debate between the leaders of the three parties, the Labour party, has been accepted by the Labour party, and it is expected the Conservatives and Liberals will fall in line.

Joins Governor's Staff

Ottawa.—Arrival of Captain R. J. Streetfield from London, Eng., to the personal staff of His Excellency the Governor-General has been announced from Government House. Captain Streetfield is a nephew of Sir R. Streetfield, who was secretary to Lord Lansdowne, when the latter was appointed governor-general of Canada.

Expect Increased Migration

Liverpool, Eng.—Authorities, both British and Canadian, expect heavy increased migration of British farm settlers to Canada in the spring. Negotiations are under way between the two governments and it is understood, looking to the movement of 6,000 trained and partially trained men for farm work in April.

Test Saskatchewan Seed

Seed Testing Laboratory Is Established At Saskatoon

Saskatoon.—Saskatchewan seeds will in future be tested in the laboratory of the Dominion Seed Branch of the federal department of agriculture which is being put into operation in rooms occupied by this department here, according to a statement given out recently.

Preparations for opening this laboratory and offices have been under way since December. In all about 1,000 feet of floor space will be occupied.

Newton Young, of Winnipeg, acting district inspector for the whole of Saskatchewan will be in charge. Dr. F. T. Wahlen, chief seed analyst of Ottawa, head of all laboratory work in Canada, is here in connection with the opening of the laboratory.

Science Aids Farming

Soon Be Able To Develop Wheat That Will Resist Both Rust And Frost

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"Canada is a great next year's crop," said the minister, "and he explained, that to matter what conditions of one time were Canadian people had a habit of pinning their faith upon the future and working wholeheartedly for the prosperity of tomorrow."

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Visualizes Conditions Ideal

Henry Ford Says Farming Needs To Be Completely Revolutionized

New York.—A world in which no one smokes or discusses prohibition, where farmers no longer cook and housekeepers no longer cook, and machines take care of the drudgery of the farm, is outlined by Henry Ford in his book, "My Philosophy of Industry," just published.

"The great problem in the home today," the Detroit capitalist points out, "is too much drudgery. We shall solve it in a way to do much of the cooking outside and deliver it in a hot and appetizing condition at meal time at no greater cost."

The old farm is likewise due to a big change, according to Mr. Ford. "Farming needs to be completely revolutionized," he says. "Large corporations, whose sole business it will be to perform the operations of plowing, planting, cultivating and harvesting, will supersede the individual farmer, or groups of farmers will combine to perform their work in this manner. This is the proper way to do it and the only one in which economic freedom can be won."

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MAY HAVE TO ARBITRATE ON BRANCH LINES

Ottawa.—The official announcement of the C.P.R. branch line program which is to be submitted to Parliament is taken here as meaning that attempts to remove conflict between the two railway companies have failed, and that Parliament will be compelled to arbitrate between them.

In the official list of branch lines, for which the C.P.R. will seek charters from Parliament are several which will be contested by the Canadian National Railway. The full extent of the conflict will not be revealed until the C.N.R. branch line program is announced. This program, it is understood, has not yet been decided upon, but it will be very large and will cover lines in much of the territory being sought by the C.P.R.

The Canadian National Railway will ask for a charter to build a branch line connecting Saskatoon with Regina. They already have a line starting at Regina and running to Yonka. In 1924 the National Railway asked for the right to build a branch line from Regina to Yonka. This territory is one in which the acute controversy occurs between the railway companies.

Winnipeg.—An era of expansion involving construction of approximately 1,000 miles of branch line in country in Western Canada at a cost of not less than fifty million dollars is foreseen by the application of the Canadian Pacific Railway for new lines. This will mean employment of many thousands of men during the period of five years, it is understood.

National Resources Question

No Statement By Premier King In Respect To Province Of Alberta

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Organization Plans Under Way For World's Grain Exhibition To Be Held In Regina In 1932

Organization plans and business for the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference, to be held in Regina from August 1 to August 13, 1932, were discussed at a meeting of the prairie provinces held in the Hotel Saskatchewan, Regina, last night.

Hon. C. M. Hamilton, minister of agriculture for Saskatchewan, presided, and the members present included: J. A. Moseley, Regina, vice-chairman; Hon. A. Prefontaine, minister of agriculture for Manitoba; H. A. Craig, deputy minister of agriculture for Alberta; C. E. McKee, president of the Regina Board of Trade; F. Hedley Auld, deputy minister of agriculture for Saskatchewan; A. E. Whitmore, vice-president of the Regina Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition Association; D. T. Elderton, manager of the Regina Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition Association.

The executive committee appointed the following officers of the World Grain Show Exhibition Conference: Organization Manager, J. A. Moseley, secretary, D. T. Elderton; treasurer, W. G. Yule, Saskatchewan; president, W. G. Yule, Saskatchewan; and J. A. Moseley, Saskatchewan. A committee consisting of A. M. Moseley, A. E. Whitmore, was appointed to secure contributions towards special prizes, and it is expected that between \$50,000 and \$100,000 will be secured by the committee.

It was decided that there should be two official languages at the conference to be held in conjunction with the World Grain Show—English and French—and the official prize list will also be published in both languages. A preliminary list of the prize list will consist of 85,000 copies in English and 15,000 copies in French.

A final revision of the prize list will be made when the executive committee meets again at the call of the chair early in April.

It was stated that the executive committee has received the assurance of the Dominion Government that the necessary financial assistance will be forthcoming for the organization of the World Grain Exhibition and Conference, which will be the biggest thing of its kind ever staged in Canada. Enquiries regarding the exhibition have already been received by the executive committee from Australia, New Zealand, India and China, although the committee has not yet undertaken any advertising campaign or distributed prize lists. It is anticipated that the committee will issue its preliminary prize list, the distribution being on a world-wide scale.

In discussing the business details of preliminary organization work the members of the executive committee were unanimous on every step in the lengthy agenda, each item of which was thoroughly discussed.

Hon. C. M. Hamilton, chairman of the executive committee, expressed gratification with the co-operation shown by the representatives from Manitoba and Alberta. He regretted that Illinois had prevented Hon. George Hoadley, minister of agriculture for Alberta, from attending. A great deal of enthusiastic interest was already being taken in the plans for the World Grain Exhibition and Conference, particularly in the grain-producing provinces of Canada, he said, while inquiries had been received from Australia, New Zealand, India and China, although no official communications had been sent to these countries yet.

"At this time, when the supremacy of the grain-producing provinces of Canada in the growing of hard red spring wheat is being challenged on the markets of the world, the World Grain Exhibition and Conference in 1932 should have a great influence in stimulating Canadian producers in the production of wheat of the highest quality," he added.

Hon. A. Prefontaine, minister of

agriculture for Manitoba, declared that Manitoba grain growers were already laying their plans for the World Grain Exhibition. "We are right behind the movement," he added, "and our men are eager to enter the value prize for winning prizes against the world-wide competition."

Big Farming Plan For Russia

American Will Plant Ten Million Acres Of Land In Russia

The Los Angeles Times published an announcement by Thomas D. Campbell, of Hardi, Mont., and Pasadena, who is said to be America's largest wheat grower, that an American farmer of Soviet Russia's plain land acres of Soviet Russia's plain land acres is to be planted to wheat and flax, with American machinery under his direction.

Campbell stated he would sail from New York this month for Russia to complete arrangements tentatively entered into during a recent visit to this country of a Soviet commission. Campbell said that more than \$100,000,000 of American planting and harvesting machinery would be purchased for the use of raising food to feed the Russian people.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union

Will Fight For Better Conditions

The Winnipeg Newspaper Union, which has been organized by the Winnipeg Newspaper Union, will fight for better conditions for its members. The union is expected to be formed by the merger of the Winnipeg Newspaper Union and the Winnipeg Newspaper Union.

British Death Duties

Mortality Among Millionaires Was Heavy Last Year

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How To Order Patterns

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Town

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Wisdom Of The Chinese

Doctors Had Wonderful Knowledge Of Drugs Five Thousand Years Ago

Five thousand years ago Chinese physicians had a wonderful knowledge of drugs, their reactions and uses. Secrets of which the physicians of the Western world are only now learning, according to the findings of Chinese medical works by Michael J. Hagerly, translator of the numerous Chinese documents of the Department of Agriculture.

Hagerly has been working at the University of California library, making use of the numerous Chinese works available, with the assistance of Miss Wu, graduate student.

"Yi Huang," known to Western scientists as ephedrine sulphate, a recently developed preparation for the treatment of bronchial asthma, has been used in China for more than 5,000 years, and is first mentioned, Hagerly has found, in the ancient medical works of Emperor Shih Huang, who reigned from 2737 to 2668 B.C.

The drug is an inexpensive and effective substitute for adrenalin in the treatment of catarrhal congestions, which is its chief value to science. Numerous references to a drug, which is derived from a plant, are found in ancient Chinese works as collected by the Imperial Chinese Encyclopedia, together with cases of its use in prescriptions, citations of its apparently manifold uses, and "testimonials" by physicians as to results obtained.

In the course of Hagerly's translation, its use as a cure for colds is most commonly cited.

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Skiing in the Laurentians

Not a country of wide open spaces but one of long white stretches where snow piles high against stark fences and is faint blue and sometimes gold upon the hill-side. The Laurentians, north of Quebec, are a skier's paradise and the week-end masses of the skating and the fair. It has been so now, that the Canadian Pacific must run ski-tourists from Montreal from one season's end to the other. The enthusiasts in ever-growing numbers take train to a given point and ski down to the next station or the next day's ski trip. The ski-tourists are not the only ones who are frozen, but the resort-owners and the Habitants are beginning to count on the revenue they derive from the ski.

GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT



W. M. Gordon, newly appointed general superintendent, Western Canadian Pacific Express Company.

The Subconscious Mind

Clear Cut Solutions Of Problems Often Come During Sleep

Everyone who has ever gone to sleep lately has a problem and awakened with a clear-cut solution in his mind knows that ideas often come not as the logical sequel to conscious thought, but inexplicably, in a flash of sudden insight. Experiences such as that of Dr. Baing, who declares that the idea of using insulin in the treatment of diabetes came to him of sudden insight. Experiences such as that of Dr. Baing, who declares that the idea of using insulin in the treatment of diabetes came to him of sudden insight.

Amper, the great mathematician used to sleep on his problems. When he woke he had not infrequently the solution in his mind. Psychologists would say that while he slept his subconscious mind continued to work just as the subconscious mind performs feats in the case of calculating child prodigies. The subconscious mind is never idle, and its manifestations are not infrequently peculiarly happy. It is, in fact, the most useful of servants; the drawback is that we cannot control it.

Served His Purpose

Virginia Man Proud Of Glasses Purchased Thirty Years Ago

A pair of spectacles, purchased at a country store thirty years ago for 25 cents, still serve W. Stagg Modestti, 83-year-old citizen of Luray, Va., first public school teacher in the county and for forty years maker of property assessment books in the county commissioner of revenue's office. Mr. Modestti, an expert accountant, takes pride in being the owner of the glasses. The work he has been doing throughout the years has been a most intricate kind, where accuracy was the prime demand.

Original "Mother Machree" Dead

Mrs. Nannie Ball, the original "Mother Machree" of her own family, died at her home in Beaufort, Long Island, she was 71 years old. The son, Ernest E. Ball, died in May, 1927. He was the composer of many popular ballads of which "Mother Machree" was the most famous.

Remarkable Increase Is Shown In Number of Homestead Filings In the Four Western Provinces

New Idea For Sanatorium

Cleveland Hospital For Treatment Of Diabetes Is Shaped Like

Huge Ball

The new \$1,000,000 Cunningham sanatorium, which has as its underlying theory increased air pressure as a cure for diabetes, has been formally opened at Cleveland, as a place of treatment for diabetes, pneumonia, anemia and other diseases heretofore pronounced incurable.

The main compartment of the sanatorium is a huge steel ball, 64 feet in diameter and five stories high. It is a completely equipped hospital. Adjoining is a long, cylindrical tank which provides the means of access to the main compartment and offers a preliminary test of air pressure to patients about to undergo the cure.

This revolutionary idea in hospitals was introduced eight years ago by Dr. Orville J. Cunningham, of Kansas City, Mo. For years, Dr. Cunningham had advocated the use of increased air pressure for the treatment of various diseases but it was not until he had interested H. H. Tilton, millionaire steel man of Canton, O., that he was able to put his idea into effect. Tilton agreed to finance the institution after a friend had been cured of diabetes and had been treated for diabetes in a small tank Dr. Cunningham had constructed in his own back yard.

There are two other tanks, besides the one used as the entrance, that flank the main compartment. Patients will live in these tanks for a week at a time under an atmospheric pressure of from five to 30 pounds.

After living in the main sphere of one of the smaller tanks for a week, the patient spends seven days at home or in a hotel, before another week in the tank. This process is repeated until the doctor pronounces a cure.

The huge ball and the adjoining structures are furnished in the interior much after the manner of an up-to-date ocean liner. It has accommodations for 25 persons. On the first floor of the main tank is the dining room. The second floor is given over to bedrooms and the fifth is a spa and recreation hall. Lighting is furnished through heavy glass portholes.

A Strange Indian Tribe

Inhabitants Of Upper Yukon Country Are Puzzle To Ethnologists

The Peel River Indians, a tribe living in the Upper Yukon country, are a puzzle to ethnologists. These Indians are often as black as negroes, but have long, straight hair and aquiline features. They are proud of their blood and permit no mixed marriages.

Whether they are an offshoot of the Hindu race or descendants of the people who came up the Mackenzie from the Arctic, has never yet been established. Today the tribe numbers several hundred and is in prosperous circumstances. Like the Seminoles of Florida, however, they are vanishing because of their antipathy toward intermarrying with other Indians.

Could Work Together

Jacob Epstein, the sculptor, was reproaching a London artist for his business. "You're like a girl novelist," he said. "You dream your work instead of doing it."

"Introduce me to that girl," said the artist. "We ought to be acquainted."

"Yes," returned Epstein, "you'd make a wonderful couple. You could keep yourself busy illustrating the novels she doesn't write with the pictures you don't paint."

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Homesteading during the earlier years of Canadian western develop-

ment. As the dominant feature of land settlement and held that position until it became increasingly difficult to obtain advantageous locations. As the prairie lands, enterprises naturally declined, dependence on wheat diminished and greater attention began to be given to other branches of the agricultural industry. Then industrial activity started and continued until the great west entered on the initial stages of an organized modern frontier. Of late, however, as the frontier of fertility extended northward, homesteading has taken on a new lease of life, clearly disclosed in the monthly statements of homestead entries compiled by the Lands and Settlement Branch of the Dominion Department of the Interior. These show remarkable increases in the number of filings culminated in the month of October when the largest gain occurred for any month of the current year. Every month, indeed, brought increases over the corresponding periods of 1927, varying in ratio from 33 per cent. in October. September brought some 10,000 homestead filings, more than double the number of the preceding year, standing at 11,521 to 5,172, representing a gain of 123 per cent.

Commenting on these figures in its publication, Natural Resources of Canada, the Department remarks that this expansion of free homesteads clearly indicates the trend of development in agriculture in Western Canada. Summing up the monthly figures by homesteads, these show that the frontier is being just as steadily pushed back in the agricultural regions of the Prairie Provinces as in the mining regions of the west.

In the sections of Canada by the mining, pulp and paper and other developments, the figures for the provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Calgary indicate that homesteading is not over on the southern prairie and in fact that considerable increases are recorded at this time this year, the north is where homesteading is making progress has been made. While this accords with the natural expectancy, the figures are illuminating in indicating just how great this march of progress has been this year. At Prince Albert, representing the northern half of Saskatchewan, 2,550 homesteads were filed on in ten months this year, compared with 1,501 in the corresponding period of 1927, a gain of 90 per cent. At Edmonton, representing central Alberta, 2,240 homesteads were taken up to October 31, compared with 1,240 in the corresponding period of 1927, an increase of 80 per cent.

But it is in the Peace River country of northern Alberta and British Columbia that the spectacular progress with greatest intensity on the activities in taking up the Federal Government's free homestead lands. At the Grand Prairie and Peace River agencies the total number of homesteads entered for in the first ten months of the current year was 4,178, compared with 894 in the corresponding months of last year, a gain of 367 per cent. These figures represent the totals for the Peace River section of both Alberta and British Columbia.

Self-Refuting

Dr. Pearson after bringing him to: "How did you happen to take that picture?"

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"John, can you find an infallible remedy for getting rid of rats?"

"We might try your cigars, sir."

Buen Humor, Madrid.

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January Temperatures

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Saturday, 12	+08
Sunday, 13	00
Monday, 14	-06
Tuesday, 15	-06
Wednesday, 16	-10

Coniferous Leaves Valuable

The fertilizing value of forest litter, composed of fallen leaves and twigs, has long been recognized in Europe, but in this country where we have not had to grow our wood, little thought has been given to the soil on which the trees grow. With the disappearance of the virgin stands and our ultimate dependence on second growth secured by either natural or artificial means, every factor which effects the rate of growth of the timber becomes important. A study of the forest leaf litter deposited by red and jack pine in Michigan has just been completed by the United States Forest Service and it showed that on the average, the annual deposit of needles per acre weighed 2567 pounds air dried and 2100 pounds over dried. Most of the needles fall between the middle of June and the middle of October.

From the chemical analysis of samples of the litter it was found that the accumulation on an acre in one year contained from 8 to 16.5 pounds of nitrogen, 9.9 to 21 pounds of calcium, 2.1 to 3.5 pounds of phosphorus, 2.0 to 3.5 pounds of potassium and 5.6 to 6.7 pounds of sulphur. The nitrogen content alone averaged 15 pounds per acre, which is from one-sixth to one-eighth of the amount of nitrogen collected by a crop of alfalfa.

In an unburned forest there is an accumulation of three or four years undecomposed and if a fire destroys this, it robs the soil of from 40 to 60 pounds of nitrogen per acre, to replace which would require the application of from 30.00 to \$13.00 worth of sodium nitrate per year.

It was found also that a ton of this litter could absorb one and one half tons of water and in addition to the water that soaked into the needles themselves, a large amount is held for a time by the litter but eventually drains away.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

Mary Again

Mary had a little skirt
So neat, so bright, so dainty;
It never showed a speck of dirt,
But it surely does show Mary.

—New York World.

Make Your Own Reading

"Rawstus, is my bath warm?"
"Yessah, Yessah, the warmest Ah was ever in."

About Town and Country

The U.F.W.A. of Excel, will give a dance in Excel School, on Friday night, January 18. Admission 75 cents.

Mr. George Cordell is leaving to-night for Cheam View, B.C., where he will spend the next two months.

Mr. Rupert Snell left this morning on a business trip to Edmonton.

The dance at Oyen Theatre on Monday evening was well attended. Leo Crane and his Canadians lived up to their reputation as an excellent musical organization, and made a great hit with the dancers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Knich and daughter Ida, left this morning en route to Vancouver, B.C., where they will spend a holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Sullivan and family, left this morning en route to Washington, where they will visit relatives.

E. J. Anderson, B.Sc., Eye-Sight Specialist, will be in Oyen at the Hotel, on Saturday, January 26.

A survey of current publications places the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal in the lead for variety and quality of reading. Always recognized as a steady guide and counsellor to the farmer, the survey proclaims it almost equally popular in urban homes.

Mr. Shacker announces that the regular Monday and Tuesday evening shows will be resumed at Oyen Theatre, commencing Monday, January 21. Tuesday night, January 22, is "Family Gift Night", when the family is admitted for 50 cents and given a free choice on a beautiful blanket. Don't fail to be there!

The dining room at the Alberta Hotel has recently been recognized under the personal supervision of Mr. H. J. Cooper. Excellent meals are being served and your patronage is invited.

Mr. A. W. Rowe, assistant at the pool elevator here, leaves today for Esther, Alta., to take charge of the Pool elevator at that point.

Mr. J. P. Roraback, attended a meeting of the Alberta Hall Board in Calgary last Thursday. He was accompanied to the city by Mrs. Roraback.

Mrs. F. W. Moore is one of the delegates from this district attending the U.F.W.A. convention in session this week in the city of Edmonton. Mrs. S. Boyes is attending as a visitor.

WEDDING

STEVENSON—HOLLISTON

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the United Church Manse, Alaskan, on December 5, at 2 p.m., when Miss Phyllis Georgina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Holliston of Benton, was united in marriage to Mr. William Stevenson of Benton. Rev. James Douglas officiated. The bride looked charming in a dress of blue silk with white trimmings and hat to match. After the wedding supper the happy couple left for their home north of Benton, where they will reside.

George J. Benbow

PIANIST AND TEACHER

Last year's pupils 100 per cent pass. Enquire at D. McKay's residence, 2nd Avenue

The whist drive and dance given under the auspices of All Saints Guild last Friday evening, proved a very enjoyable function.

Dr. J. P. Kerr left yesterday for Milverton, Ont., where he will visit relatives.

Mr. H. J. Cooper, who was a Calgary visitor over the weekend, returned to Oyen yesterday.

Under the auspices of Somers Chapter, O.E.S., a whist drive and dance will be given in the Masonic Hall, on Friday evening, January 25, (celebrating "Bobbie Burns Night"). Bring your lassie an' ha' a guid time. Twill cost ye 50 bawbees.

Mr. Fred J. Thompson left last Monday, en route to Edmonton, where he will attend the U.F.A. convention.

Among the delegates who have left this district to attend the U.F.A. convention in Edmonton this week, are Mr. D. Warwick and Mr. A. E. Todd.

Mr. Andrew E. Carr who was winner of the Swift Canadian salesmanship contest, recently returned from Chicago. "Andy" won a free trip to the "windy city" as a prize for his excellent work with the company.

Motor Vehicle Licence plates, for 1929 are now on hand and may be had at the village Council Chambers.

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OBITUARY

JOHN P. INNES

John P. Innes of Acadia Valley, a well known and respected farmer, passed away last Wednesday morning at his home. A funeral service was held at Acadia Valley on Friday, January 11, Miss Wolfe, officiating. The late Mr. Innes died in his 41th year, following an illness of influenza. He leaves to mourn his loss, his widow and two small children of Acadia Valley; one brother in Calgary, a sister in Brandon, Man., and his father and a brother in Campbellford, Ont.

The body was taken to Campbellford for interment.

LEGAL NOTICE

FARM FOR SALE

North half 2-24 W. 4th Meridian, Alberta subject to taxes for current year.

Tenders will be received up to 1:30 p.m. on the 9th day of February 1929, for the purchase of the above described property, together with marked cheque for 2 per cent of the amount tendered, by L. P. Clarry, Esquire, K.C., Master in Chambers, Court House, Calgary, Alberta, marked "Tender S.C. 2841".

This farm is about eleven miles from Oyen, Alberta. All fence frame check is \$18.

TERMS: 5 per cent on tender, 10 per cent on acceptance of tender when possession will be given, and the balance in 2 equal instalments in 6, 12 and 18 months with interest at 8 per cent per annum, or if the purchaser desires, full payment will be accepted within 60 days without interest.

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FURTHER particulars may be obtained from Macdonald, Robertson, Winter and Edmondson, Solicitors for the plaintiff, Calgary, Alberta. Refer to file 37300 W.C.H.

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THE CURLERS' CORNER

Games in the first square draw will be completed to-night.

Challenge games for the Hobblerin Cup will be played on Monday and Thursday afternoons, commencing at 2 p.m. Skips desiring to enter a challenge, may do so by paying a fee of \$1.00 to the draw master at the time of making the entry. Challenge games will be played off in the rotation in which

they are received.

Mr. George Morrison is the present holder of the cup.

The next competition will be a knock-out. Rinks must be skipped by the third man. Skips must lead and after their rocks have been delivered keep out of the house back of the hog line.

Take all the ice you need. There appears to be lots of it.

Central Goose Lake Hockey League

Schedule of Games

	At Alaskan	At Sibbald	At Oyen	At Cereal
Alaskan,		Jan. 15	Jan. 3	Jan. 10
		Feb. 12	Feb. 5	Jan. 26
Sibbald,	Jan. 18		Jan. 10	Jan. 3
	Feb. 15		Jan. 26	Feb. 5
Oyen,	Jan. 23	Jan. 7		Jan. 15
	Feb. 8	Jan. 30		Feb. 12
Cereal,	Jan. 7	Jan. 23	Jan. 18	
	Jan. 28	Feb. 8	Feb. 15	

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